[*Note*.—An asterisk (*) at the commencement of a speech indicates revision by the Member.]

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SRI P. RAMAMURTHI :—" கனம் தலைவர் அவர்களே! நேற்றைய தினம் தான் புதிய ஆரம்பக் கல்வி திட்டத்தைப் பரிசீலனை செய்த கமிட்டியின் ரிப்போர்ட் எங்களுக்கு இங்கே கொடுக்கப்பட்டது. சாதாரணமாக வரவு செலவு திட்டத்தைப் பற்றி விவாதம் செய்யும்போதே இந்த கல்வி திட்டம் சம்பந்தமாகவும் விவாதம் செய்து விடலாமென்று சர்க்கார் சொல்லக்கூடும். இந்த ஆரம்பக் கல்வித் திட்டம் மிகவும் முக்கியமான தொரு திட்டமாகையால், இந்த ரிப்போர்ட்டின்மீது விவாதம் நடத்த தனியாக ஒரு தினம் இதற்காகவென்று ஒதுக்கவேண்டுமென்று நான் கேட்டுக்கொள்ளுகிறேன். சர்க்கார் இதற்குச் சம்மதிக்கவேண்டுமென்றும் கேட்டுக்கொள்ளுகிறேன்."

MR. SPEAKER :—" நீங்கள் இதுமாதிரியாக கேட்டுக் கொள்வதை நான் வேண்டாமென்று சொல்லவில்லை. ஆனால் இனிமேல் என்னிடம் தனியாக ஒரு வார்த்தை சொல்லிவிட்டு பின்னர் சபையில் கேளுங்கள்."

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" I shall consider the request made by the hon. Gentleman."

II.—ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS.

MR. SPEAKER :—" I have received a number of adjournment motions. Hon. Members Sri P. K. Gopalakrishnan, Sri M. Narayana Kurup and Sri K. C. Gopalan Unni have each given notice of an adjournment motion to discuss the prevalence of cholera in certain places.

(1) (*a*) Sri P. K. Gopalakrishnan's motion reads as follows :—

' This House stands adjourned to discuss an urgent matter of public importance, viz., the utter callousness and negligence of the Government in dealing with the widespread cholera in Ponnani taluk, Malabar district, resulting in hundreds of deaths and further spread to other areas."

(*b*) Sri M. Narayana Kurup's motion reads as follows :—

' I move that the business of the Assembly stands adjourned to discuss a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, the failure of the Government to take proper and adequate steps in dealing with cholera epidemic in the taluks of Ponnani and Walluvanaad in Malabar.'

(*c*) Sri K. C. Gopalan Unni's motion reads as follows :—

' This House stands adjourned to discuss a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, the prevalence of cholera in epidemic form in Attapady Hills in Walluvanaad, Malabar district, and the consequent death of about 100 people due to the inadequate steps taken by the Government to save the lives of the people.'

These are not matters of urgent public importance. Further, the hon. Members will have an opportunity to discuss this subject during the Budget debate. I therefore rule all the three motions out of order.

(2) Hon. Member Sri O. A. Nanjappa has given notice of an adjournment motion. It reads as follows :—

' I propose that the House do stand adjourned to discuss a matter of public importance, namely, the advocacy of E. V. Ramasamy, Leader of D.K. Party, that, his followers should carry knife with them in his speech at Attur in October last which has created panic among the public and it is viewed as dangerous to public safety.'

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" This is not a matter of urgent public importance. So, I rule this motion out of order.

(3) Hon. Member Sri K. C. Gopalan Unni has given notice of another adjournment motion. It reads as follows :—

' This House stands adjourned to discuss a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, the acute communal tension in Pattambi, Walluvanaad taluk, Malabar district, created by the mishandling of the situation by the Government, though the Government was fully aware of the unsocial activities of the R.S.S. and the Muslim League volunteers for the last so many weeks.'

" This has been in existence for a long time and is therefore not a matter of urgent public importance. So, I rule it out of order.

(4) Hon. Member Sri T. C. Narayanan Nambiar has given notice of an adjournment motion. It reads as follows :—

' This House stands adjourned to discuss an urgent matter of public importance, viz., the failure of the Government to take necessary steps to lease cultivable waste lands for fugitive cultivation to peasants willing to cultivate and which work has to begin now in the month of December being the agricultural season and as a consequence of which hundreds of fugitive cultivators have become unemployed affecting adversely the food position in North Malabar.'

" I have told the hon. Member that this is not a matter of urgent public importance. Hence I rule it out of order."

SRI T. C. NARAYANAN NAMBIAR :—" Sir, . . ."

MR. SPEAKER :—" I have already ruled it out of order."

III.—GOVERNMENT MOTIONS.

(1) ELECTION OF FIVE MEMBERS TO THE COMMITTEE OF PRIVILEGES.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" Mr. Speaker, I move—

' *That, with reference to sub-rule (3) of rule 156 of the Madras Assembly Rules, this Assembly do proceed on a date to be fixed by the Hon. the Speaker to elect five members to be members of the Committee of Privileges for the year 1953–54, in the vacancies caused by the vacation of seats of Sri Koti Reddi, Sri K. V. Vema Reddi, Sri H. Satyanarayana Dora, Sri T. Nagi Reddi and Sri N. V. L. Narasimha Rao, consequent on the formation of the Andhra State with effect from 1st October 1953.*' "

MR. SPEAKER :—" Motion moved—

' That, with reference to sub-rule (3) of rule 156 of the Madras Assembly Rules, this Assembly do proceed on a date to be fixed by the Hon. the Speaker to elect five members to be members of the Committee of Privileges for the year 1953–54, in the vacancies caused by the vacation of seats of Sri Koti Reddi, Sri K. V. Vema Reddi, Sri H. Satyanarayana Dora, Sri T. Nagi Reddi and Sri N. V. L. Narasimha Rao, consequent on the formation of the Andhra State with effect from 1st October 1953.' "

The motion was carried.